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Gary,

Thank you for giving Harris County an opportunity to comment on the draft cap repair plan. Our comments were previously submitted under separate cover by Harris County Pollution Control, the County's representative on the Stakeholder's Technical Review Committee.

While we appreciate the need to move forward quickly with the repair, the County Attorney's Office requests that the County's comments be addressed as soon as possible. Developing the additional details we have requested and the implementation of the recommendations made in our comments should part of the final repair plan.

We hope you will keep in mind as we go forward that the recent failure of the cap and the inability of the PRPs to prevent it are proof of the County's position that a cap is not a viable remedy and that removal of the waste is the only way to protect the residents and environment.

Please let us know when the final plan is approved and provide us with a copy.

Best wishes,

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